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1. The Dinara Orthopedic Enterprise is located at Saveznicka Street in Split. The building is an old two-story one [redacted] The Enterprise was formerly under military control, but in December 1948 it was placed under 50X1-HUM civilian control. At the time of the change in control the manager, Captain Branko Urosevic, was replaced by Marko Matosic, who is a native of Split.
2. The Enterprise employs approximately fifty persons; eight are Communists. The Communists are as follows: Marko Matosic, manager; Marin Andjelic, assistant manager; Bozo Pentec, secretary; Zdenka and Boris Majic, functionaries; and Kruno Cikara, Stipe Pocrnja, and Ante Morovic, workers. The work day is from 6:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the summer, and from 6:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the winter. Occasionally, when there is a deadline for a job, an extension of the afternoon working hours is necessary. However, under normal conditions the afternoons are spent at political lectures given by Marin Andjelic, conferences, or doing "voluntary labor" in and around Split.
3. The plant has the following organizational structure: administration, machine shop, galvanizing shop, carpenter shop, first aid, shoe shop, and warehouse section. The machine, galvanizing, and carpenter shops are located on the first floor of the building, and the remainder are located on the second floor. In addition [redacted] 50X1-HUM
4. Most of the machinery is obsolete and there is a lack of tools. There is sufficient material, however, but it is old and of bad quality; especially the leather and steel. Often common iron is substituted in place of steel. The above factors make precision work unlikely. The plant's monthly output is ten wooden legs and an additional fifteen unspecified orthopedic devices.

Comment: The Dinara Orthopedic Enterprise is state controlled, and founded under Federal Government Act IV of 31 December 1948. 50X1-HUM

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